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What is claimed is:

Claim# 1 (Currently Amended) ~~A designer tracheostomy tube and other neck-wearing device attachment used to provide for the purpose of providing~~ provides a decorative and colorful way to secure attach a tracheostomy tube or other neck-wearing device comprising: means for securing the attachment to the tracheostomy tube or other neck-wearing device; means for stringing decorative ornaments; means for connecting the securing device to the attachment; means for the adjustable model to adjust to users desired fit; means for holding attachment together at the ends and means for connecting the closed ended fastener clasp. means for adjusting fabric attachment to users desired fit; and means for fabricating the body of the fabric attachment with any suitable fabric.

Claim# 2 (Currently Amended) ~~The designer tracheostomy tube and other neck-wearing device attachment in accordance with claim 1, wherein said means for securing the attachment to the tracheostomy tube or other neck-wearing device comprises a closed-ended fastener clasp.~~

Claim# 3 (Currently Amended) ~~The designer tracheostomy tube and other neck-wearing device attachment in accordance with claim 1, wherein said means for stringing decorative ornaments comprises a stringing line.~~

Claim# 4 (Canceled) ~~The designer tracheostomy tube and other neck-wearing device attachment in accordance with claim 1, wherein said means for connecting the securing device to the attachment comprises a split ring.~~

Claim# 6 (Currently Amended) ~~The designer tracheostomy tube and other neck-wearing device attachment in accordance with claim 1, wherein said means for holding attachment together at the ends comprises a crimp bead.~~

Claim# 7 (Canceled) ~~The designer tracheostomy tube and other neck-wearing device attachment in accordance with claim 1, wherein said means for connecting the closed-ended fastener comprises a jump ring.~~

Claim#10 (Currently Amended) 10. A designer tracheostomy tube and other neck wearing device attachment used to provide for the purpose of providing a decorative and colorful way to secure attach a tracheostomy tube comprising: a closed-ended fastener, that secures for securing the attachment to the tracheostomy tube or other neck-wearing device; a stringing line, that strings for stringing decorative ornaments; a split ring, for connecting the securing device to the attachment; a designer clamp, for the adjustable model to adjust to users desired fit; a crimp bead, that holds the for holding attachment together at the ends. a jump ring, for connecting the closed-ended fastener; an adjusting device, for adjusting fabric attachment to users desired fit; and a fabric, for fabricating the body of the fabric attachment with any suitable fabric.

Claim# 11 (Currently Amended) 11. The designer tracheostomy tube and other neck wearing device attachment provides as recited in claim 10, further comprises comprising: a beads, for providing decorative ornaments the ornamental body of the attachment attaching even though the body of the attachment may be fabricated of beads, decorative metal or any other suitable material, connected to said closed-ended fastener.

Claim# 14 (Currently Amended) 14. A designer tracheostomy tube [and other neck wearing device] attachment that provides for the purpose of providing provides a decorative and colorful way to secure attach a tracheostomy tube or other neck-wearing device comprising: a closed-ended fastener, that secures for securing the attachment to the tracheostomy tube or other neck-wearing device; a stringing line, that strings the for stringing decorative ornaments; a split ring, for connecting the securing device to the attachment; a beads, that provide for providing decorative ornaments the ornamental body of the attachment even though the body of the attachment may be fabricated of beads, decorative metal or any other suitable material, connected to said closed-ended fastener; a designer clamp, for the adjustable model to adjust to users desired fit; a crimp bead or other suitable means, that holds the for holding attachment together at the ends. a jump ring, for connecting the closed-ended fastener; an eyelet, for connecting fabric to jump ring if desired or fabric can be sewn to jump ring so that the eyelet can be eliminated; an adjusting device, for adjusting fabric attachment to users desired fit; and a fabric, for fabricating the body of the fabric attachment with any suitable fabric.

Remarks:

I disagree with my invention being compared with another. My invention is unlike no other. There were searches done and there were no inventions like mine. Through the years of one word not being in the right place no other invention has been like mine until now. US 6,789,542 B1 is no comparison to mine. This invention covers the tracheostomy tube and hides it. My invention does not cover the tracheostomy and does not contain a screen. They both may be ornamental but they are in no comparison with each other. Having been in the medical field for over 13 years, it is not safe to actually cover the tracheostomy tube. There is also improvement to existing patents. There are other known patents that serve the purpose of holding tracheostomys in place and they have been

granted. Unlike the invention in comparison, my invention can be used with any tracheostomy tube, not just one where the screen will fit over it. I certainly hope that you will see there is no comparison between the two inventions. They may have some of the same components but many other patents have the same.